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Subject:

Divisional Patent Application of
Serial No.: 09/595,061 6/16/01

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METHOD TO FORM SELF-ALIGNED L-SHAPED
SIDEWALL SPACERS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is a preliminary amendment for the above referenced Divisional Patent

Application. Please amend the above identified application for patent as follows:

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